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DR. RUTH LEVERTON IS TO SPEAK SUNDAY

"Nutrition and Anemia" Is
Subject of Lecture.

Dr. Ruth M. Leverton, associate professor in the Department of Home Economics in the College of Agriculture at the University of Nebraska, will deliver the last of the lectures in the February Series next Sunday when she will speak on the topic "Nutrition and Anemia."

For the last ten years, Dr. Leverton has done research dealing with nutritional requirements of women and with factors which prevent or cure the nutritional anemia; during the past two years she has concentrated on working with blood donors to find the most rapid means of regenerating the pint of blood which is given in a donation.

Dr. Leverton will discuss in her lecture the phases of the studies she has made which hold evidence of the practical significance of the important part played by all types of nutritive essentials in building blood, and those contributing to a generally good nutritional status.

The guest lecturer has degrees from the University of Nebraska, the University of Arizona, and from the University of Chicago. She is a member of the Institute of Nutrition and Sigma Xi and has received the Borden Award for outstanding work in nutrition research. Dr. Leverton has written many scientific articles in the field of human nutrition.

The lecture is open to the public.

Dorothy Kingsley, Senior, Is New President of IRC

Dorothy Kingsley was elected president of the International Relations Club at a meeting held Jan. 25 at the home of Dr. Julian C. Aldrich, the sponsor. Betty Stroeber was elected secretary. A program chairman is to be appointed by the president at a later time.

The club listened to the "Town Meeting" radio program which discussed "Does Youth Want Compulsory Military Training?" Following the program members of the club discussed the same question.

Wren Stirten spent the week-end of Jan. 27 with Yvonne Yeater in Albany.

Spring Term, Which Will Open March 6, Will See College Back on Quarter Plan

Former Missourian Staff Member Advertises College

"Speaking of the College," writes Ted Woodward, formerly of the staff of the Northwest Missourian, "I was pleased with Miss DeLue's sketch of the campus. I showed it to Audrey (his wife), pointing out places of interest and telling her a little of the lore about it. In fact, I'm a regular walking advertisement for the College."

Continuing, Mr. Woodward says, "People here in the East still believe that a college education is a luxury. So I quote them prices at Maryville and tell them of the fine faculty people. I rave enthusiastically."

Mr. Woodward, given a medical discharge from the army after service in the Aleutians, is working in a defense plant in Baltimore, Md.

Mr. Rudin Speaks Before Organizations in Maryville

Mr. John J. Rudin, head of the Speech department, presented a lecture-recital at the Maryville High School Assembly on Feb. 2.

Today, Mr. Rudin is speaking to the Men's Forum on the subject of "Public Speaking," and is giving a lecture recital to the Arts and Crafts division of the Twentieth Century Club.

Navy Graduation Is Feb. 21

The assembly period on Feb. 21 will be in the nature of the navy graduation for the V-12 men who are leaving the College at the end of this semester. A speaker will be obtained for the occasion. President Lamkin will preside and will be seated on the platform with the speaker and the officers of the local navy unit.

Dr. Carnes Is to Show Films

Dr. Stuart Carnes will give an illustrated lecture at the Horace Mann Auditorium, Feb. 19, at 11:15. He will show colored films on Aztec civilization. All college students who are free at that hour may see the films.

Navy V-12 Men To Continue With Semester Plan.

With the opening of the spring quarter, Mar. 6, the College goes back to the quarter system. It has been operating upon the semester plan since the introduction of the Navy V-12 program on July 1, 1943.

One important change will be made with the resumption of the quarter system. Credit for the various courses will not be the uniform 2.5 hours as formerly. Some courses will carry 3 hours of credit, some 2.5 hours, and some 2 hours.

Classes in which 3 hours of credit can be made will meet five days each week. Those in which 2.5 hours can be made will meet four times a week. Those in which 2 hours can be made will meet three times a week.

The spring short course begins Apr. 23 and closes May 25. The summer session begins May 29 and closes Aug. 3. There will be an inter-session beginning Aug. 6 and closing Aug. 31. The fall quarter will open Sept. 10.

The Navy V-12 program for the spring will open on Mar. 1 and continue on the semester plan. That semester will close on June 22.

The College annual commencement will be held on Wednesday morning, May 23, at ten o'clock.

Student's Brother Reads Missourian in War Area

Pfc. George Fracker, brother of Mrs. W. T. Garrett, Somewhere in the Pacific war area, was reading the Northwest Missourian. A soldier near by said, "When you get through with that paper, pass it over."

It turned out that the soldier who asked for the paper is a brother of W. R. Brazeal of Shenandoah, who is a student in the College at the present time.

Misses Marie Gilliland and Coleen O'Brien visited friends at the College Jan. 26 to 28. Both are graduates from College in the class of 1944 and are chemists at Pratt-Whitney in Kansas City.

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THE COLLEGE OATH

"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will revere and obey the College laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it" was transmitted to us."

COLLEGE ENTERTAINMENTS

As one looks over the calendar of assemblies and entertainments of the last month one sees on the list lectures, a string quartet, a chorus, a monologist, a discussion of present day problems, illustrated lectures. Within the last few years a leading philharmonic orchestra played here, outstanding singers appeared, an opera company presented an opera, a Shakespearian play was brought to the campus, as well as speakers noted for their work in the field of government, journalism, war analysis.

One can see that the entertainments at the College are varied. The variation is not just to suit the tastes of the students or of the faculty but to provide an entertainment program that covers a broad area and gives everyone an opportunity to hear and learn something about many fields.

There is a committee at the College that is in charge of all entertainment brought to the College and to that committee, which has done such splendid work, should go the praise and appreciation of all.

Mile for Pacifier?

The head psychiatrist at New York's Bellevue hospital says smoking is in the same class as thumb-sucking and that a baby's pacifier will accomplish the same thing as a cigarette.
—Missouri Notes.

CALENDAR

Monday, February 12—

W.A.A., Room 114—6:15
String Ensemble, Room 207—6:45
Peppers, Den—7:30
Pi Omega Pi—7:30

Tuesday, February 13—

Barkatze, Room 224—5:00
Senate, Den—7:00
Faculty Reception, Residence Hall—8:00

Wednesday, February 14—

Assembly, 10:20
Sororities, Chapter Rooms—7:30

Thursday, February 15—

W.A.A., Room 114—6:15
Phi Sigs, Den—6:45
Dance Club, Room 114—7:30

Friday, February 16—

Game with Park College—There

Saturday, February 17—

Alpha Sigma Alpha Dance

Sunday, February 18—

February Lecture, Dr. Ruth M. Leverton, Horace Mann Auditorium—4:00

Monday, February 19—

W.A.A., Room 114—6:15
String Ensemble, Room 207—6:45
Kappa Phi, Practice House—7:15
A. C. D., Horace Mann—7:30

"If ever there was a cause, if ever there can be a cause, worthy to be upheld by all the toll or sacrifice that the human heart can endure, it is the cause of education."
—Horace Mann

"The teacher, whether mother, priest, or schoolmaster, is the real maker of history."

"Insofar as those who purvey the news make of their own beliefs a higher law than truth, they are attacking the foundations of our constitutional system. There can be no higher law in journalism than to tell the truth and shame the devil."
—Walter Lippmann.

Frederick Fulkerson, former student, has pledged the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity at the University of Arizona at Tucson.

Virginia Dickey spent the week-end of Feb. 3 in Kansas City visiting relatives and shopping.

Dorothy Elsiminger and Darlene Sybert spent the week-end of Jan. 27-28 at the home of Mary Moffitt in Braddyville.

Flight Officer Wendell Sisk, who has been in the air force for two years, is now a navigator on one of the B-24 Liberators.

The University of Cincinnati observatory was first erected in the United States with public funds.

-STROLLER

For several weeks the Stroller has been searching for the Sleeping Beauty that was supposed to be found somewhere in the Administration building. He paid special attention to sleepers in class (there are a few, you know), but he found no beauties among them. Just yesterday he found the real Sleeping Beauty. Who? None other than Dick Wiseman. Look in the general office when Dick is off duty, and there you will see the Sleeping Beauty. (Oh, my goodness! The Stroller thinks he must be a poet! See that rhyme!)

The Stroller thought surely she would have a date for the Navy ball; but alas! The Navy men had to have a housing committee to take care of all the out-of-town girls who were imported. And the Stroller (and several other girls) had to stay home. O, well, the Stroller has a man in service and he may be glad no sailor asked for a date.

Speaking of dates, which one of the girls at the Willhoyte house had a date with Elmer? Elmer may be a scarecrow or a dummy, but he does make a good talking point when a date is needed.

Mr. Deusing Shows "Bright Wings"

Mr. Murl Deusing of the Milwaukee Museum exhibited his film "Bright Wings" at assembly at the College on Jan. 31. The pictures, which were bright and striking in color were pictures Mr. Deusing had made of Wisconsin birds, including downy woodpeckers, northern yellow throats, cuckoos, and many others.

Debate Team Enters Tournament

The Discussion and Debate Squad of the Speech department is preparing to attend the annual University of Nebraska Tournament, at Lincoln, on Feb. 23 and 24. Last year, two members of the squad, Yvonne Yeater and the former Sue Moore received superior ratings in the tournament.

Cyclorama Curtains Are Repaired

The cyclorama curtains in the College Auditorium have been repaired, cleaned, and rehung under the supervision of Mr. John J. Rudin and the speech department. A room for stage supplies is being built backstage.

Lenore Holbrook spent the week-end of Jan. 27 with Nancy Leech of Chillicothe.

Verla Moffitt teaches in the 6th and 7th grades of the school at Coin, Iowa.

Herbert Dieterich, who has been in Nigeria, writes that he has flown over the equator two times. He also wrote of a month-old gazelle that is the camp's pet.

SHIP IS SCENE FOR ANNUAL NAVY BALL

W. Martie's Band Furnishes Music for Dancing.

Men of the Navy stationed at the College, their invited guests, and invited faculty people danced to the music of Walter Martie's band at the Second Annual Navy Ball, Feb. 10, from 9 until 1 o'clock, at the Gymnasium.

The gymnasium was completely renovated and decorated to represent a battleship. Large guns pointed out over the heads of the players in the band, who were seated on a raised platform. The deck of the battleship was the dance floor. All around the deck were pennants and flags, while overhead the false ceiling gave a sky effect.

During the intermission the queen of the dance was crowned. The platoon which had amassed the greatest number of points in inspection chose the queen. After the coronation short skits were presented by some of the Navy men.

The general chairmen of the Navy Ball were Louis Viece, Harvey Lund, and Thomas Boyce. The committees were as follows: Finances, Morris Galter; tickets and invitations, Cecil Lewitz, Robert McDougal, Arthur Green, Eugene Becker; publicity, Harry Feddersen, Jack Lipe, Clinton Raines, Albert Morian, Jerry Howe, John Dixon.

Orchestra, Raymond McIlroy; decorations, Charles Owens, Don Bolen, Robert Barco, Joseph Shoulders, John Sansone; refreshments, William Billings, John Kajander, James Allen; checking, Roy Matheson; housing, Donald Shane.

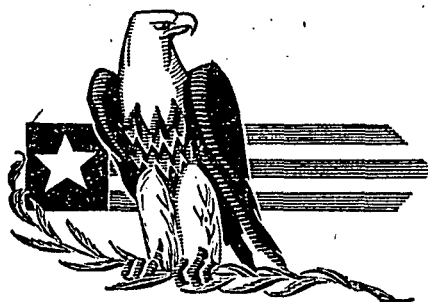
Last All-College Dance Follows Basketball Game

The last all-school dance of the semester was held Friday night, Feb. 2, following the game with Warrensburg. Following the intermission, a floor show was given.

Joe McIlroy acted as master of ceremonies. The Girl's Triple Trio sang several numbers, Tony Zillner presented some piano numbers, and Bob Montgomery sang.

Gene Yenni Hears Violinist

Pfc. Gene Yenni recently heard Erica Morini, celebrated violinist, in Carnegie Hall, New York City. He says that he had a streak of luck that gave him a box seat for Miss Morini's "most excellent performance." During his week in New York, Mr. Yenni expected to hear some plays and attend a performance of grand opera.



THOSE IN THE
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Our Country

Cited for Bravery

The story of the bravery of Lieut. Commander Jesse D. Taylor is contained in the following citation given when the Distinguished Flying Cross was awarded him: "Lieut. Commander Jesse D. Taylor was on an anti-submarine patrol flight when a surfaced enemy submarine was detected. Arriving at the target area he released an exceedingly well placed flare revealing the enemy. Immediately attacking by the light of the flare, Lieut. Commander Taylor made two extremely accurate depth bomb attacks both which resulted in explosions in close proximity to the U-boat and resulted in its destruction"

Marion T. Rogers has been promoted to second lieutenant from flight officer according to an announcement from Laurinburg-Maxton Army Air Base, glider installation of the I Troop Carrier Command. Lieut. Rogers is a graduate of the College.

Lieut. Herbert J. Hawthorne, who was reported as missing in action, is a prisoner of war in Germany, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hawthorne of Stanberry.

Cpl. Max Kime visited friends at the College Jan. 29 while enroute from his former station at Boca Raton Field, Fla., to Walker Field, Victoria, Kas. Cpl. Kime is with the 330th bomber group of B-29's. He attended the College in 1943.

A note from Miss Emma Ruth Kendall brings the information that "Blackie" Myers, in the Philippines, "ate fried chicken, G. I. style the day he landed," and that "Spec" Myers is still with headquarters in New Guinea.

The Committee for Religious Emphasis Week has been meeting with interested students during the week of Jan. 29 to Feb. 2, and met Friday, Feb. 2, with the ministers of the churches in Maryville in order to make plans for the Religious Emphasis Week.

Heleen Holliman spent the week-end of Feb. 3 with her parents, at Hamburg, Ia.

Dan Emerson Appreciates Letters and College Map

"It is great to get those letters and bring back some of the wonderful times a good many of us enjoyed at Maryville," writes Dan Emerson from "Somewhere at Sea." He was referring to letters written on the back of "Behind the Birches."

Sergeant Emerson commented upon the map of the campus made by Miss DeLuce, saying, "The map was of great interest to me and you can wager the next time I get back to Missouri I'm going to be seen coming up the long walk and being proud of it."

"My outfit," says Mr. Emerson, "was in on the Philippine campaign of Oct. 20, my first; I saw all that was necessary for an idea of what war is like. The Filipinos were glad to have us; the Japs had things down to a rather sad state of affairs."

Miss Newlon Serves in France

Miss Ida Beth Newlon, a graduate of the College, has arrived in France to serve with armed forces as an American Red Cross hospital recreation worker. Until her Red Cross appointment, Miss Newlon was employed by the U.S. Signal Corps, Arlington, Va. After her graduation from the College, Miss Newlon took the M. A. degree at the university of Iowa.

Donald S. Russell, store keeper second class, in the U. S. Naval Reserve, has been transferred from a construction battalion to the permanent station force personnel at Port Hueneme, Calif., as office supervisor in the Public Works office. His office has charge of all the following on the station: painting, carpentry, heating, electricity, plumbing, sheet metal and blacksmith work, new construction, refrigeration, and laundering.

Private Beryl W. Sprinkel writes from Belgium to send his regards to the faculty of his Alma Mater. He says, "We are living in a Belgian (word deleted) and appreciate it very much as there is quite a lot of snow on the ground."

PRATT-WHITNEY MEN LOSE TO BEARCATS

Three Visitors Come "Back Home" to Play Here.

In a final six-minute push, Coach Ryland Milner's Bearcats pulled away from a Pratt-Whitney hardwood quintet to down that team 42-38, in a game here, Wednesday night, Jan. 24.

The engine makers took an early lead but failed to hold it under the hard Bearcat drive. By the end of the first period, the Pratt-Whitney netters found themselves on the short side of a 22-21 tally.

The score, very close all the way, was either tied or had changed hands 18 times during the course of the game. Ronald "Woodie" Wood, Bearcat guard, demonstrated his Illinois technique of playing basketball, by sinking five field goals and four free throws to tally 14 points. Jim Corken, forward, had a great deal of trouble getting started but finally got away to a scoring spree in the last few minutes. He also accounted for 14 points, with 5 field goals and 4 free throws.

Lee Rensberger hit the "off" list, missing virtually all of his 1-hand push shots.

Halberg, lanky Pratt-Whitney center, who made the rest of the players look like dwarfs, had little trouble in controlling the ball under both baskets.

It was a homecoming for three of the Pratt-Whitney players who formerly lived here in Maryville or attended the College. Bob Butherus, high scorer with 15 points, is a Maryville product; Raymond Curtis, guard, formerly played football here; Bill Smith was a former Bearcat and was a Maryville high school coach.

Second Deck Port Wins Intramural First Round

Second Deck Port has been declared the official winner of the first round of intramural basketball, which ended Jan. 17. This team finished the round undefeated.

M. Galter led in individual scoring, with an 83-point total. His nearest opponent was Wylie with 45 points. On the top fifteen list are Kiecke, 38; Guindon, 37; Freeman, 32; Strom, 30; Forss, 28; Raber, 26; Williams, 25; Klostergard, 23; Wells, 23; Naxera, 22; Fritz, 22; Shane, 22; Broederdorf, 20.

A letter from Lieut. O. W. "Chick" Harmon, who is in England, has an inquiry about his former room-mate, Billy Craven. Mr. Craven is a prisoner in a German camp.

Boxers Demonstrate Bouts

Basketball fans got their first taste of the boxing season at the end of the Pratt-Whitney game Wednesday night, Jan. 24, when Chief Fred Croce brought out 8 Navy men for four short boxing matches.

Those who boxed were Johnny Norris and Jim McCarney; Cecil Lewitz and Kenny Simpson; Bill Mueller and Ted Morgan; and Bill Stewart and Louis Vlececl. No winners were picked.

DR. HORSFALL SHOWS MANY INDIAN RELICS

Exhibit Has Arrowheads and Many Kinds of Tools.

Dr. Frank Horsfall of the Agriculture department, who has an extensive collection of Indian relics, has arranged a display at the library. The items in the exhibit have all been collected personally by Dr. Horsfall, who has a keen interest in the museum idea. Some are rare specimens.

In his collection, Dr. Horsfall has about 600 arrowheads. From a book which lists some 8,000 different Indian relics, Dr. Horsfall has identified his arrowheads. He has in his own collection every type of arrowhead shown in the book except the lance head.

Among other specimens, Dr. Horsfall has called special attention to some rare agricultural tools once used by the Indians. One implement displayed seems to be peculiar to the rich agriculture lands of the Mississippi valley. It is not found in the South nor on dry prairies.

This tool is from rough chipped stone, but parts of it show high polish. The theory is, according to Dr. Horsfall, that this polish came from use. He thinks, however, that the theory falls down, as many tools which show other indications of extensive use do not show the polish that this tool shows.

Some ceremonial pieces are included in the exhibit. Their use, the agriculture teacher says, is problematical. One piece to which he calls attention is discoidal. The two sides of the disk-shaped piece are cup shaped. Just what the use of this piece was, nobody seems to know with any degree of certainty.

Included with the exhibit are some drawings which show how the tools were made. The original rock and the chippings left from the tools are also to be seen.

Friday night, Jan. 26, a sock dance was held in Room 114 after the Maryville-Leavenworth basketball game. The dance was from 9:00 until 11:30.

Member of Staff to Be Married in California

Lorna Pfander, a junior in the College, expects to leave soon after the close of the present semester for California, where she will meet her fiancé, Gene Johnson of Creston, Ia. quarter master 2/c in the Navy, and be married. After the wedding they will return to Iowa for a honeymoon trip and then return to California, where they will make their home until Mr. Johnson returns to overseas duty.

Later the bride will return to the College and finish her course for the B.S. in elementary education. Miss Pfander, whose home is in Sharpsburg, Ia., is a member of the Northwest Missourian staff.

Engagement Announced

The engagement of Emma Ruth Kendall, graduate of 1944, to Seaman 2/c Mark Christine, former V-12 student at the College, has been announced. Miss Kendall is a member of Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority and is now employed with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in Kansas City. Mr. Christine has just left Great Lakes, Ill., for a camp in Bainbridge, Md., where he will train as a physical fitness instructor. The marriage will take place in the spring.

Miss Alta B. Reece, who was a member of the English faculty last year, is now teaching in the Army Specialized Training program in the state teachers college at Brookings, S. Dak.

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